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SUBJ: NARCOTICS CONTROL - HELICOPTER ADVISOR

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FOR EA/TB, DEXTER, FROM AMBASSADOR OSBORN

1. EMBOFF AUGUST 1 RAISED WITH COL. TIN OO POSSIBILITY OF HALL VISITING RANGOON TO ASSIST EMBASSY WITH HELICOPTER PROJECT. TIN OO EMPHASIZED HE IS WELL AWARE THAT THAI HELICOPTER EPISODE WAS INNOCENT ERROR, AND THAT HE PERSONNALLY WOULD HAVE NO PROBLEM WITH HALL RETURNING TO RANGOON.

2. HOWEVER, HE ADVISED THAT WE SELECT SOMEONE ELSE. TIN OO EXPLAINED THAT HELICOPTER PROJECT IS BEING HANDLED BY OTHER DEPARTMENTS INCLUDING HOME MINISTRY AND POLICE, NOT ALL OF WHOM ARE AWARE OF DETAILS OF HELICOPTER INCIDENT. IF HALL WERE NOMINATED TO COME TO RANGOON, TIN OO WOULD BE OBLIGED TO BRIEF HIS SUPERIORS PLUS APPROPRIATE HOME MINISTRY AND POLICE OFFICIALS ON HIS BACKGROUND; SUCH A BRIEFING WOULD BE AWKWARD AND MIGHT REOPEN OLD SORES.

3. IN VIEW OF THIS FRIENDLY BUT DECISIVE TURNDOWN, WOULD APPRECIATE ATTEMPT TO LOCATE OTHER QUALIFIED ADVISORS, BEARING IN MIND CONSIDERATIONS OUTLINED REF C. WE HAVE NO REASON TO BELIEVE GUB WOULD OBJECT TO ANY OF THE THREE INDIVIDUALS MENTIONED IN REF A PARA 3. OSBORN

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